Connecticut is one of only four states in the nation that does not allow Early (in-person) Voting. Enabling voters to vote early would reduce stress on the voting system, shorten lines at polling places, improve poll worker efficiency, and provide greater access to voting. Voters in the 21st century need flexibility to accommodate busy work schedules and family needs. In addition, all voters should be allowed the option to vote by No Excuse Absentee Ballot. Elderly voters and people with health vulnerabilities should be able to cast a ballot without fear of contracting COVID or other communicable diseases.